

The National Endowment for the Arts is the only funder, public or private, that supports the arts in all 50 states in the United States.

### IN THE PAST 5 YEARS...

The National Endowment for the Arts distributed more than **\$18,331,400** in grants in **Texas**.



Blue Star Museums. Photo by Debra Huskin

In one year alone...

- Arts and cultural production in Texas added **2.8%** or **\$46.6 billion** to the state's economy.
- Texas's arts and cultural industries employed **375,100** workers. These workers earned wages and benefits totaling over **\$24.0 billion**.
- **38.2%** of Texas's adults attended live music, theater, or dance performances, while **19.8%** attended art exhibits.



### National Endowment for the Arts Programs from FY17-FY19

**Blue Star Museums** program provided free admission to thousands of active military personnel and their families at **396 participating museums** in Texas.

**Poetry Out Loud** program provided opportunities for over **7,855 students** attending **85 high schools** in Texas to appreciate—through study, memorization, and public recitation—great poetry.

The **NEA Big Read** program generated **335** community events focused on reading outstanding American literature and involving more than **17,680** adults and students in Texas.

**Shakespeare in American Communities** program in Texas enabled schools to offer children the opportunity to see free live professional performances of Shakespeare.

**Creative Forces** program is expanding access to creative arts therapies and arts engagement opportunities for injured service members, veterans, and their families and caregivers. **Fort Hood** is participating in this innovative program.

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## Projects Funded by the Arts Endowment either Directly or Through its State Arts Agency Partnership Funds Occurred in These and Other Locations

<b>TX-01</b> <i>Panola College Tyler Museum of Art</i>	<b>TX-02</b> <i>Houston Blues Museum Museum of Fine Arts, Houston</i>	<b>TX-03</b> <i>Chamberlain Ballet Fort Worth Opera</i>	<b>TX-04</b> <i>Community Theatre of East Texas Pottsboro Library</i>
<b>TX-05</b> <i>Bath House Cultural Center Dallas Arboretum</i>	<b>TX-06</b> <i>National Polka Festival of Ennis Waxahachie High School</i>	<b>TX-07</b> <i>Briar Meadow Charter School Houston Youth Symphony</i>	<b>TX-08</b> <i>Crighton Theatre Woodlands Children's Museum</i>
<b>TX-09</b> <i>Holocaust Museum Houston Houston Area Women's Center</i>	<b>TX-10</b> <i>Austin Jazz Workshop Live Oak Art Center</i>	<b>TX-11</b> <i>Llano Fiddle Fest Midland Community Theatre</i>	<b>TX-12</b> <i>Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth Van Cliburn Foundation</i>
<b>TX-13</b> <i>Amarillo Museum of Art Wichita Falls High School</i>	<b>TX-14</b> <i>Art Museum of Southeast Texas Galveston Arts Center</i>	<b>TX-15</b> <i>International Museum of Art and Science Teatro de Artes de Juan Seguin</i>	<b>TX-16</b> <i>El Paso Museum of Art Literarity Book Shop</i>
<b>TX-17</b> <i>Baylor University Waco Civic Theatre</i>	<b>TX-18</b> <i>Asia Society Texas Center Hobby Center for the Performing Arts</i>	<b>TX-19</b> <i>Abilene Convention Center Texas Tech University</i>	<b>TX-20</b> <i>Alicia Treviño Lopez Senior Center Nine Lives Books</i>
<b>TX-21</b> <i>Long Center for Performing Arts Umlauf Sculpture Garden and Museum</i>	<b>TX-22</b> <i>George Memorial Library Heritage Rose Elementary/Fort Bend ISD</i>	<b>TX-23</b> <i>Marfa Studio of Arts Vizcaino Park</i>	<b>TX-24</b> <i>Park Forest Branch Library Watertower Theatre</i>
<b>TX-25</b> <i>Armstrong Community Music School University of Texas-Austin</i>	<b>TX-26</b> <i>Denia Recreation Center University of North Texas</i>	<b>TX-27</b> <i>Art Museum of South Texas Victoria Community Theatre</i>	<b>TX-28</b> <i>Laredo Center for the Arts Sharyland High School</i>
<b>TX-29</b> <i>Ketelsen Elementary Ripley House</i>	<b>TX-30</b> <i>Deep Vellum Books Dallas Black Dance Theatre</i>	<b>TX-31</b> <i>Georgetown Palace Theatre Tablerock Festival of Salado</i>	<b>TX-32</b> <i>Eisemann Center Southern Methodist University</i>
<b>TX-33</b> <i>Irving Public Library Kessler Theater</i>	<b>TX-34</b> <i>Coastal Bend College TSC Arts Center</i>	<b>TX-35</b> <i>Brauntex Performing Arts Center Indigenous Cultures Institute</i>	<b>TX-36</b> <i>Lutcher Theater Shankleville Historical Society</i>

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